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## IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the paragraph beginning at line 8 on page 5, as follows:

Processor 110 polls system memory 140 to check for any interrupt information stored in system memory 140. If interrupt information is present, processor [[100]] 110 performs an interrupt function based on the interrupt information. Thus, in system 100, processor [[100]] 110 does not directly handle the interrupt information. Processor [[100]] 110 performs an interrupt function based on the interrupt information.